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The WEATHER (U. S. Weather Bureau)
Arkansas—Fair, warmer in Thursday night, with Friday partly cloudy.

CHINESE IN SURPRISE ATTACK

Bicentennial For Washington to Be Observed Friday

Hope High School Will Hold Program in the Auditorium

WEEK'S PROGRAM

Anniversary of Nation's Founder Celebrated by Grade Schools

Hope High school will observe the bicentennial celebration of George Washington at 10 o'clock Friday morning in the auditorium.

The Glee Club, under direction of Mrs. John Wellborn, assisted by Miss Martha Virginia Stuart, will present a musical and art program of the Washington period in Colonial days.

Features of the program will be favorite songs of Washington, a tribute to the founder of the nation, a playlet "Making the Flag," a performance of the minuet, and "Living Pictures of Washington."

The public is invited to attend the celebration in the high school auditorium.

Other Programs Given

In celebration of the bicentennial the 5A geography and the 5B English classes of Paisley school, under direction of Miss Elizabeth Arnett and Miss Edith Lewis, presented in the auditorium Monday the following program:

Song, America.
Flag Salute—Walter McClung.
Introduction by program chairman—Robert Jewell.
Poem — Washington's Birthday — Newton Secrest.
Incidents in the life of Washington:
1. Washington and the Cherry Tree.
2. Washington's Youth and Boyhood—Dorothy McClung.
3. Washington, Frontiersman and Pioneer—Frederic Taylor.
4. Washington, the Messenger—Milton Crews.
5. Washington, the Farmer and Planter—Virginia Phillips.

Song: "Father of the Land We Love."

Minuet—Eight girls.

Living Pictures — Martha Washington, Jennie Sue Martindale. George Washington, Terrell Hutson. Spirit of '76, Phill Keith, Herald Canon, Terrell Hutson. Making of the Flag—Betsy Ross, Mary Cornelia Holloway. George Washington, Terrell Hutson. Col. Ross, Herald Canon.

Play: Betsy Ross and Gen. Washington. Characters: Betsy Ross, Mary Cornelia Holloway; George Washington, Parks Rowland; Col. Ross, Phellip Keith; Mr. Morris, Herald Canon; Maid, Francis Yocom.

The program was concluded on the school ground with an impressive tree planting ceremony. The program chairman explained the purpose of planting this tree and the group sang America while the tree was being planted. Poem: Planting the Tree, Tompie Fay Toland.

Poem: Trees—Terrell Young.

The cherry tree, which was planted was donated by George Ware from the University of Arkansas Experiment station.

All pupils taking part on program wore colonial costumes.

Several visitors were present.

Oglesby Program

Oglesby school presented the following George Washington program Monday afternoon:

President, Velma Ellis; Secretary, Mildred Robinson; Program chairman, Dorsey Ray Fuller; Flag Bearer, Georgene White; Poem, Bobby Reynerson; Tribute, J. W. Ames; Tribute, J. W. Booth.

Play: Betsy Ross "The Making of the First American Flag." Characters: George Washington, Edward Lester; Colonel Ross, Donald Parker; Mr. Morris, Landers Dudney; May, Alta Bright; Besty Ross, Lucille Shope.

Song: George Washington—All.

Song: America—All.

Tree-planting Pageant: Characters—Uncle Sam, William Alexander; Boy Scout, Leon Mitchell; Colonial Scout, R. W. Muldrow; George Washington, Edward Lester; George Washington attendants: Donald Parker, J. T. Luck, Tom Turner.

Tom Turner. Martha Washington, Sara Ann Holland; Martha Washington attendants: Lucille Shope, Leonice Bundy, Lydia Marion Fowler; Herbert Hoover, Robert Ames; Herbert Hoover attendants: Robert Bales, Aubrey Anderson, Hughlet Smith; Mrs. Herbert Hoover, Mary Joe McCorkle; Mrs. Hoover's attendants: Alta Bright, Geneva Humphries, La Verne Wilson.

Brookwood Program

An interesting bicentennial program was given at Brookwood Friday, February 19, by the 5A geography and 5B English class under the direction of Miss Doris Moses and Miss Melva Rogers.

The following program was given:

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Mayor Walker Aide Under Fire



Bank and brokerage accounts of George S. Collins, above, executive secretary to Mayor Walker of New York, have been subpjoenaed by Samuel Seabury, who is conducing a legislative investigation into city affairs.

Prize Tickets to Saenger, at Star

200 Replies Received in "Murders in the Rue Morgue" Contest

The Saenger-Star contest on "Murders In the Rue Morgue," mystery picture which plays at the Saenger Theatre Thursday and Friday, created an overwhelming amount of interest, with more than 200 sending answers to The Star office.

While it was a difficult task to pick the winners out of this group, much time and unbiased fairness was given t othe task. Accordingly we are glad to give the names of the following persons who are the winners and have a Free Ticket to see "Murders In the Rue Morgue," waiting for them at The Star office. They are:

Ivis Brummit, Miss Norma Thomason, Miss Bobbie Goble, Miss Marylin Ward, Miss Helen Hunter, Miss Mary Frances Irvin, Mrs. M. S. Bates, David Brumfield, Dale Reese, Ralph Bradley, Miss Marie Thomason, Mrs. J. B. Browne, Mrs. John Shiver, Mrs. Lela Watson, Miss Willie Blanche Henry, Mrs. Ira Taylor, Miss Mildred Gray, Miss Geneva Rogers, Miss Mildred Bonner, Mrs. Pete Shields.

The Saenger and The Star wish to thank everyone wh otook part in this contest and while we kno wthat many ho did not find their names on this list will be disappointed we hope at a future date to have another contest of which you might be the winner.

Sound Truck in Hope On Thursday

Malco Circuit Truck Visits in This City in Tour of State

The Malco Theaters, Inc., have a sound truck which is making a tour of the Malco circuit in charge of H. G. Stermer.

This truck on this trip is advertising "Murders In the Rue Morgue," the mystery picture, now playing at the Saenger Theatre.

Records are played and also the truck is equipped with full sound recording devices with a microphone for broadcasting. The equipment alone on this truck is valued at over $6,000.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:
REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.



Many a girl who wins a match would prefer to make one.

Ruth Judd to Die On Gallows May 11 For Trunk Murder

New Trial for Trunk Slayings Denied by Arizona Courts

FACTS WITHHELD

Letter Produced Claiming Man Aided Her Cut Up Women's Bodies

PHOENIX, Ariz.—(AP)—Winnie Ruth Judd, convicted slayer of Agnes Anne Leroi, was denied a ne wtrial Wednesday in Superior Court and Judge Howard O. Speakman sentenced her to be hanged.

May 11 was fixed as the date for execution.

Before sentence was passed Mrs. Judd stood before Judge Speakman and attempted to argue that evidence presented in the case was not sufficient ot convict her.

She charged that County Attorney Lloyd J. Andrews had not presented all the evidence in the case of the shooting of Mrs. Leroi and Miss Hedvig Samuelson.

"These women were not killed in bed," Mrs. Judd declared a moment before Judge Speakman set the date for her hanging. She maintained her composure and showed no signs of nervousness.

Judge Speakman stopped her several times during her argument.

"You have been in California and Arizona in the hands of the police for months," the judge said. "If you had anything more to say than is in the records of this court, then was the time to have said it, not now."

"Have you anything to say that is within the records of this case?" he asked.

"Those girls were not murdered!" Mrs. Judd declared in her brief argument that Andrews had failed to show that the girls were shot while in bed. She said there was no motive, no anger nor premeditation in the shooting.

After sentence as passed, she was taken from the courtroom to her cell in the Maricopa county jail to await removal ot the state prison at Florence.

Judge Speakman denied a motion of her lawyers that a stay of three days be granted for her removal to the prison.

Garner Candidacy Denied By Rayburn

Texan Asks Judge Howard to Withdraw From Georgia Primary

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—A statement that Speaker Garner is not a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination and would not file in any state primary was made Wednesday by Representative Sam Rayburn, Democrat, Texas.

Rayburn, chosen leader of Garner's advocates at a rally in San Antonio Monday, telegraphed Judge G. H. Howard of Atlanta asking him to withdraw from the Georgia primary as a proxy for Garner. Howard filed Monday in the Roosevelt state, saying that if he on he would throw the state's vote to Garner at Chicago.

"As a friend of John N. Garner and speaking for his host of friends," Rayburn's message to Howard said, "it is my earnest desire that you not enter the Georgia primary either as a proxy or in any other sense as a representative of Mr. Garner." In a separate statement Rayburn said:

"Speaker Garner is not a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination, although sentiment in his favor is developing rapidly throughout the country.

"He not only has not entered his candidacy in any state primary, but he will not do so. Of course, under these circumstances he would not enter the primary in Georgia through a proxy."

Man Faces Charges on Passing Worthless Checks

EUREKA SPRINGS—T. A. Harviell was jailed here Wednesday on a charge of issuing worthless checks. He was arrested in Leslie Sunday by Sheriff Henry Wilson. Chief of police Homer Britton said that Harviell claimed he was president of the Ozark Telephone Company, operating rural lines here. Chief Britton said that Harviell placed a few dollars in a local bank and the nissued many checks of small denominations, but totaling several hundred dollars. The checks were scattered through Missouri and northwest Arkansas towns.

Japs Rain Shells Into Chinese Defense Lines



Backing up the thrusts of Japanese Marines in their battle to drive the Chinese 19th Route army out of the trenches around Chapei, the Nipponese artillery shown above are sending a barrage of shells int othe battlte zone. Hundreds of Japanese field pieces marshalled along the war front around the International Settlement poured a terrific fire into the so-called "Chinese City" of Shanghai. This picture was taken during the stubborn fighting that took place during the advance from the Japanese landing point not far from the Woosung forts. Japanese gunners shown above are firing over an angle of the International Settlement into the Chapei area and the Chinese area and the Chinese lines beyond. Picture rushed to San Francisco by Pacific ocean liner and thence by telephoto to Hope Star.

Youth's Attempt to Flee Jail Is Frustrated

MENA, Ark.—Meredith Yell, young farm youth arrested for alleged burglary of a Posey Hollow farm house, attempted to escape from the city jail Tuesday, but was run down and recaptured by Chief of Police Salyer. Yell was later arraigned in Justice Smith's court with Steven Rose, alleged accomplice, and bound over to await the April grand jury. The two are said to have stolen about $100 worth of jewelry, coins and other property from the home of C. G. Mullinax.

Killing By Prohi Raider Justified

Deputy Administrator Says Subordinate Slew Boy in Self-Defense

HARRISON—Investigation into the fatal shooting Tuesday night near Pindall, Searcy county, of Walter Kilburn, aged 18, by Prohibition Agent J. W. Ledbetter of Harrison, indicates tthat Ledbetter's action was in self-defense and unavoidable, it was said this afternoon by S. M. Gurley, Fort Smith, deputy prohibition administrator, in charge of the investigation, Mr. Gurley vsited the scene of the shooting today and questioned various persons.

Kilburn was shot about 9 p. m. during a raid on a still, and died within an hour. A companion, W. F. Martin, was arrested during the raid, brought to Harrison and early Wednesday was held to the Federal Grand Jury on a charge of violating prohibition laws, by United States Commissioner Isaac Stapleton.

Truck Crops Show Decrease in Sevier

Irish Potatoes Is the Only Acreage Increased This Year

DE QUEEN, Ark.—With the exception of Irish potatoes considerable decrease is indicated in the acreage of truck crops in Sevier county this year as compared with the acreage for the years 1930 and 1931. Estimates on Irish potatoes indicate an increase over 1930 and about the same as in 1931.

According to Charles U. Robinson, county agent, the decrease in acreage in truck crops has been made up by an increase in food and feed crops, and the fewer acres are being given better care. It is thought that the probable production of 1932 crops will be two or three times that of 1930 or 1931. The drouth of 1931 injured truck crop production in Sevier county almost as much as the drouth of 1930, and the quality of products shipped both years was not up to standard. Robinson said that it is reasonable to expect that with a normal season for 1932 the farmer will get greater dollar returns from truck crops, depending of course upon market prices.

Robinson said that standardization of varieties used in truck production as done much to make Servier county known as one of the leading truck producing counties. Carietics are used which are recommended by the branch experiment station at Hope.

Judge Fights For County Road Fund

Attacks State Treasurer's Action in Paying District Bonds

TEXARKANA—County Judge J. J. Sewell of Miller county late Wednesday filed suit against State Treasurer Roy V. Leonard for $2,737.50, the amount recently withheld by Leonard to retire in part outstanding bonds on what is known as tht Forest Park Improvement District, a suburb north of Texarkana. Sewell described the suit as his first move in a "finish fight" against Act. No. 61 of 1931.

The county judge declares that Leonard was short the amount named in the suit, because of having paid the bonds. If the act it held valid Miller county stands to lose approximately $10,000 from its highway turnback fund. County Treasurer W. J. S. Smith, Jr., joined Sewell in his fight against the act.

Sewell's complaint declares that Forest Park is in no way connected with a county or state highway, and is not entitled to money which belongs to the Miller county highway fund.

Validity of the district and its name also were attacked in the suit. The officials here declare that the name "Forest Park Improvement District No. 1" does not comply wtih Act 126 of 1923, and that its "correct" name is not valid inasmuch as the County Court was not in session at the time.

Areport by M. F. Chestnut, local banker, shows that the district has bonds outstanding amounting to $121,-304.19. This certified report has been filed with the state treasurer at Little Rock.

Sewells action Wednesday was prompted further after he learned that County Judge Ross L. Lawhon of Pulaski county and Prosecuting Attorney Carl E. Bailey of Little Rock have started a sweeping investigation of Pulaski county improvement district bond payments.

Corporation Tax Filings Unchanged

Present Law Pemitting Single Return for Subsidiaries Approved

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The House Ways and Means Committee Wednesday reached its first decisions of the new tax bill and agreed that one feature of the present law should remain unchanged.

This was the section authorizing corporations to file consolidated income tax returns for themselves and their subsidiary or affiliated companies. Two more administrative clauses remained to be written before the committee could vote upon the proposed tax on a selected list of manufacturers.

They were proposals to repeal the provision allowing credits on foreign taxes paid by American enterprises and to modify the capital gains and loss tax of the existing revenue law.

Under the decision announced Wednesday by acting Chairman Crist after a closed session of the committee, interests with subsidiaries will be permitted to continue filing returns on joint profits for the corporate tax.

Bulletins

LITTLE ROCK.—(AP)—A question as to whether counties may initiate their own legislation for the conduct of local or special affairs under an initiative and referendum amendment, has been asked Attorney General Norwood and he is studying the matter with a view of giving an opinion immediately.

WASHINGTON.— (AP) —Speaker Garner Thursday forecast a new tax bill would contain a levy on manufacturers sales and would be completed within a week or ine days.

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The House Thursday adopted a conference report on the Jones bill creating a 10,000,000 revolving fund for loans to agricultural credit corporations. Approval by the senate will send the bill to the White House.

2 Arkansas Bank Robbers Captured

Both Shot Within Hour Following Holdup of Firm at Bono

BONO, Ark.—(AP)—Fleeing under a volley of bullets fired by residents, two bank robbers were shot and captured less than an hour after they had robbed the Peoples Bank here of $3300 Wednesday afternoon.

Ode Randolph, 35, of St.. Louis, was shot in the head by Ralph Armour as he started to drive away from the bank. Physicians expressed belief he would recover.

The other robber, Cecil Cook, 35, of near Lardo, Ark., fled on foot and was surrounded in a field near here by a pursuing posse. He is not expected to survive wounds received in a gun battle with Deputy Sheriff Coward.

The men came to Jonesboro Tuesday from St. Louis and rented the car used in the robbery Wednesday.

Officers recovered the bank loot and also found $17 on Cook. He said it was obtained in the robbery of a St. Louis bus last Monday night.

Only two employees were in the bank at the time of the robbery. The two robbers, unmasked, took the money after clubbing S. W. Davis, cashier, and his assistant, Roy Stephens, with pistol butts. The two men were not seriously hurt.

State Corporation to Consider Loans

J. H. Meek of Camden Is Named Assistant in Little Rock Office

LITTLE ROCK.— (AP) —The first meeting of the advisory board of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to consider applications for loans will be held Friday afternoon.

Only a small number of applications have been received so far, officials said.

J. H. Meek, of Camden, has been selected to assist J. W. Jarrett, manager of the agency.

Farm Board Faces Drastic Pay Cut

Bill Approved by Committee Also Limits Salaries of Co-Op Officials

WASHINGTON.— (AP) —The $12,000 salaries of Farm Board members were singled out Wednesday for the first successful Senate move for pay cutting.

The Civil Service Committee approved a bill by Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, to knock these salaries down to $9,600—just below the $10,000 level of members of Congress which the committee refused to reduce.

The committee also approved an amendment by Senator George, Democrat, Georgia, limiting salaries of all employes and officers connected with Farm Board operations to $15,000.

This hits at some of the highly paid officers of the stabilization corporations. It was diclosed at the Senate Farm Board inquiry that salaries ranging as high as $50,000 and $75,000 are paid to some.

The George amendment would prohibit loans by the Farm Board to stabilization corporations or co-operative organizations paying salaries of more than $15,000 to officers.

The bill still must run the gauntlet of the Senate where a sharp fight over the whole issue of salary reductions is in prospect.

Arkansas College Group Here Mar. 2

Harlequin Little Theatre to Present Play Under Auspices of P.-T. A.

Arrangements have been completed by Mrs. Dorsey McRae, president of the local P.-T. A., with Mrs. Cornelius Ball, Director of Harlequin Little Theatre of Arkansas College, whereby the smart comedy, "Just Call It—Love" will be seen at Hope on the evening of Wednesday, March 2, at 8:30.

The Little Theatre of Arkansas College, which is generally conceded to be the strongest organization in college dramatics in the state, won nation recognition several years ago by being runner-up in the National University Theatre Tournament in Chicago, as well as having the outstanding individual player in the entire event.

Harlequin Little Theatre for the past three years has played to capacity houses in towns from Fayetteville to Little Rock. Dr. Vergil Jones, Dean of the University of Arkansas, pays high tribute to Harlequin Little Theatre and its nationally known director, Mrs. Cornelius Ball. Dr. Jones sponsored the first state tour of Harlequin Little Theatre, having the group open the 193 tour at the University.

The 1931 State Theatre Tournament at Little Rock was won by Harlequin Little Theatre of Arkansas College with its unusual production of "The Cajun." Mr. Hugh Patterson at this time won the cup for outstanding individual acting for men.

Recapture Ground Lost During Battle In Kiangwan Area

Japanese Use All War Machinery in Effort to Stop Chinese

EXPECT MORE TROOPS

Heavy Drive Expected to Be Launched Early Next Week

SHANGHAI.—(AP)—Hammered all day long by a terrific Japanese bombardment, the Chinese army in the Kiangwan sector swarmed out of the trenches Thursday night and launched a surprising attack in which they won back nearly all the ground that they lost during the previous day.

In the afternoon the Japanese threw their full force on a handfull of defenders in the northwest part of Kiankwan village, ripped through the line and virtually surrounded the Chinese garrison.

Artillery pounded the Chinese second line and a fleet of forty Japanese plains rained 250 pound bombs on the defenses.

Then the attack halted for a time while the heavy guns continued a withering fire on the Chinese rear.

Japs Surprised

The counter attack appeared to have taken the Japanese by surprise. It carried the Chinese back across the shell torn ground and Thursday night Kiangwan was still in their hands.

There were reports that two Japanese divisions were due Friday or Saturday and a big Japanese drive could begin early next week.

Dispatches from Tokyo disclosed that the Emperor had talked with General Yoshinori Shirakawa, who is here to mean that he would succeede Kenkichi Uyeda as commander of the Japanese army here.

Boards Will Not Seek Assessment

Decide It Useless to Try to Collect From Landowners of Road Districts

OSCEOLA—Commissioners of three south Mississippi county road improvement districts at a meeting at Wilson Wednesday agreed that to petition the County Court to extend a 100 per cent assessment on the tax books against landowners in the district to meet interest due soon on outstanding bonds, would be a futile gesture because much of the 25 per cent assessment on the books was delinquent last year.

The meeting was in response to overtures from holders of the bonds, it was said, and was precipitated by recommendations by the state Highway Commission that the one-cent gasoline tax levied by the 1931 General Assembly for the benefit of county road funds be impounded to help finance a proposed refunding program for old road improvement district bonds.

Heretofore 75 per cent of the maturities in the Mississippi county districts have been met from the county's share of the one-cent gasoline tax.

Two other similarly organized districts in the county would be affected if the one-cent tax should be withheld. The five districts were constructed in 1930 with orlginal bond issues approximating $1,000,000.

Americans Warned to Vacate Hotel

Astor House Hotel, Shanghai Landmark Declared to Be Unsafe

SHANGHAI.—(AP) —All Americans residing in the Astor House Hotel, one of Shanghai's landmarks, facing Sochow creek, were cautioned Thursday by the American officials to leave for a safer location, but most of them up until late in the day had declined to move.

Chinese shells fell near this spot Wednesday night as they attempted to shell the Japanese flagship, Idzumo, anchored nearby.

Member of State Tax Commission Visits City

W. H. Childers, of Little Rock, member of the State Tax Commission, spent Tuesday in Hope conferring with John Ridgdill, tax assessor of Hempstead county, relatively to assessment of property in this county.

Mr. Ridgdill is located in the city hall where he is making assessments of property.

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The Star's Platform

CITY

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.

Move city pavement in 1932, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.

Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a certain amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt-road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's greatest industry.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.

Fearless tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.

Plenty of Work?

THE difference between depression and prosperity means tragedy to many millions of people—and yet, amazingly enough, the actual gap between the two states is exceedingly narrow.

A writer in the current Magazine of Wall Street quotes figures compiled by the American Federation of Labor which show that there is in the United States today enough work to employ every worker in the nation—for 35 hours a week.

That is to say, if a seven-hour day and a five-day week were suddenly installed in every industry, unemployment would literally vanish. There is, it seems, plenty of work in America for everybody—if only it were divided up equitably.

The normal working week in most industries is 48 hours, scaling down to 44 in many cases. Between that and the 35-hour week there is no great gulf. And yet that small gulf is enough to throw something like a quarter of all our wage-earners out of work and put long columns of red figures in the ledger of innumerable businesses.

Before the depression came we had had several years of high prosperity. During those years something might have been done to pave the way for hard times. Working hours might have been readjusted, for instance, to spread work out to a larger number of workers. The high profits that were being made could have enabled industries to do this without greatly diminishing the individual worker's income.

But, as the writer in the above-mentioned magazine points out: "Too small a proportion of the earnings of 1919-1929 went into consumption. Too large a proportion went to swell the unspendable incomes of a minority of machine owners. Too much was ploughed back into additional capital investments to swell producing facilities which had already run beyond the consuming abilities of the mass population."

Now, however, we must look ahead to future opportunities, not back to ones that were missed. What are we going to do to harrow the gap? The man who presents a sane and logical program will do his country a tremendous service.

Where Crime Is Bred

ONE of the commonest American beliefs is that most criminals are mentally defective, and that the crime wave would ebb to a ripple if only some way could be found of putting a serviceable mind into the head of each crook.

Now, however, Dr. Amos T. Baker, psychiatrist at Sing Sing prison, comes along to tell us that we're mistaken. Addressing a session of the American Orthopsychiatric Association in Baltimors the other day, he declared that the mentality of most criminals compares favorably with that of law-abiding citizens.

Most criminals, he said, go wrong because of unfavorable home conditions and not because they are mentally deficient. Heredity has little to do with filling prisons. Environment is all-important.

It would be more pleasant, possibly, to stick to the older idea and blame it all on heredity. That would relieve us of all responsibility. But we can't do it, and Dr. Baker's remarks ought to make us stop and do a bit of thinking.

That expression, "unfavorable home conditions," can cover a whole lot of ground—and society as a whole has a direct responsibility in it.

It covers, for example, homes in city slums, where health conditions are bad, food is poor and the street is a child's only playground.

It covers homes in certain mining towns, where the workers are ground down by poverty, live in conditions of sickening squalor and count themselves lucky if they can just get enough to eat from day to day.

It covers homes in rotten tenements which, if we had any social conscience at all, would be torn down no matter what the cost; homes on isolated back-country farms where a child can grow up without any advantages whatsoever; homes in dull factory towns where a mill-owner is absolute czar over all his workers—homes everywhere, in short, that belong in what the sociologists call the "under-privileged" stratum.

That is where our crime stems from. As long as society is willing to let a large number of human beings live in such homes it will have a nasty "crime problem." We all share in the responsibility.

The Cost of Traffic Delays

THE economic loss caused by delays in motor traffic in congested cities is strikingly exhibited in estimates recently drawn up by Dr. Miller McClintock of Harvard University.

Dr. McClintock has figured that it costs—everything included—about $4.20 an hour to operate an automobile. In city traffic, he says, fully 75 per cent of one's driving time is entirely wasted, what with stopping for red signal lights, parking, getting into sluggish traffic lanes and the like.

Figure out how many motorists drive through American cities daily—the number, by the way, has been estimated at more than a score of millions—apply Dr. McClintock's figures and you can easily see just how costly our snail-like traffic stream is.

Japanese "Prints"



Do You Remember

THIRTY YEARS AGO

Married: At Texarkana Wednesday, February 26, Dr. J. W. Robson and Miss Cora Cooper, both of this city.

Miss Annie Black, teacher of art in Ouachita college, spent Sunday and Monday at home.

Earnest DeLoney, a cadet at Ouachita college, was at home Sunday and Monday.

TEN YEARS AGO

Richardson Ayres, district highway engineer, made a business trip to Little Rock yesterday.

A little son arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murphy in this city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Williams are entertaining a young son who came to their home on Sunday.

Rocky Mound

There have been several cases of flu in our community the past week but they are all much improved now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pickard spent the week end with relatives at Magnolia.

N. C. Purtle and family visited relatives at Rosston Friday and Saturday where they attended the basketball tournament.

Carl Durham who was operated on Thursday afternoon at the Juplia chester hospital is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Silvey are at the bedside of the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Leward Silvey of WillisVille who is very low.

We are very sorry to report that the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hesterly Purtle was destroyed by fire Saturday night from an unknown reason.

Miss Faye Purtle spent Sunday with Miss Beyrl Pickard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Steed attended singing here Sunday night.

Nolan and Cornelia Lewallen of Green Laseter were the Saturday night guests of Jessie and Faye Pickard.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Hazzard spent Saturday night and Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H Mitchell.

Editors Battle For Free Press



Basing their right of criticism on the constittuional freedom of the press, Howard C. Anderson, above, and James A. Mathews, below, respectively editor and publisher of the Aberdeen (S. D.) American-News are fighting contempt of court sentences of 30 days in jail and $200 each in fines. When they said Circuit Judge Howard Babcock's sentence of a forger was too leintnt the judge ordeed them to jail. Sentences are suspended pending appeal.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hunt, Mr and Mrs. Warren Pickard visited in Texarkana Thursday.

Quite a number of boys and girls from Green Laseter attended singing here Sunday night.

Miss Frances Monts visited in Texarkana Saturday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Roy Purtle.

The singing class from this place is planning to attend the singing at Hope Sunday afternoon.

Fashion Decrees Red, White, Blue

Jewelry to Honor George Washington Bicentennial Also Correct

CHICAGO—(AP)—Stronger than ever fashion decrees red, white and blue in the smart feminine spring costumes.

But for the woman who does not wish to go in too decidedly for the tri-color combination in her dresses and suits themselves she can add the patriotic dash with accessories.

With a dark blue suit—and dark blue is high fashion—she can wear an ascot scarf, either in solid flag red or with red and blue polka dots or stripes, and carry a solid red underarm bag in the new shiny leather.

Or her dark bluecoat, dress or suit, she can add a boutonniere of forget-me-nots, corn flowers or some convention posey in red, white and blue. There are blue leather roses and gardenias on display.

She can add a bright red belt to a dark blue crepe dress which may have white collar and cuffs, or perhaps a bolero jacket and a white blouse. All the major department stores are showing a wide selection of neckwear with patriotic colors and designs.

At the pewelry counters there are necklaces, clips, bracelets and pins with which to honor the George Washingtonbicentennial. A chic combination is three of the new solod colored bracelets in red, white and blue.

If the wearer likes silver jewelry there are copies of articles made by Paul Revere and other silversmiths of the Colonial and Revolutionary periods.

Very smart items at the handkerchief counters were kerchiefs with extra large size initials in red or white.

All these accessories come in solid colors, two and three color combinations. Thus they can be ustd as accents for black, white or other colored costumes as well as for one carrying out the tri-colored idea.

But for the moment nearly every woman will probably want to go patriotic with abandon and for her there are:

Crepe belts and matching bags of red background studded with white stars; red, white and blue striped scarfs, American flag clips, strands of red, white and blue beads, handkerchiefs picturing George Washington.

Prima Donna Sues Ripley, Cartoonist

Marion Ohnick Demands $500,000 in Breach of Promise Action

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Robert L. Ripley, cartoonist of "Believe It or Not" fame, is being sued for $500,000 for alleged breach of promise of marriage by Marion Ohnick, 37, a prima donna who formerly appeared with the San Carlo Opera Company in the title role of "Madame Butterfly."

Miss Ohnick, also known as Haru Onuki, of Long Beach, Cal., has been appearing recently on a vaudeville circuit, her attorney, Abraham Greenberg said.

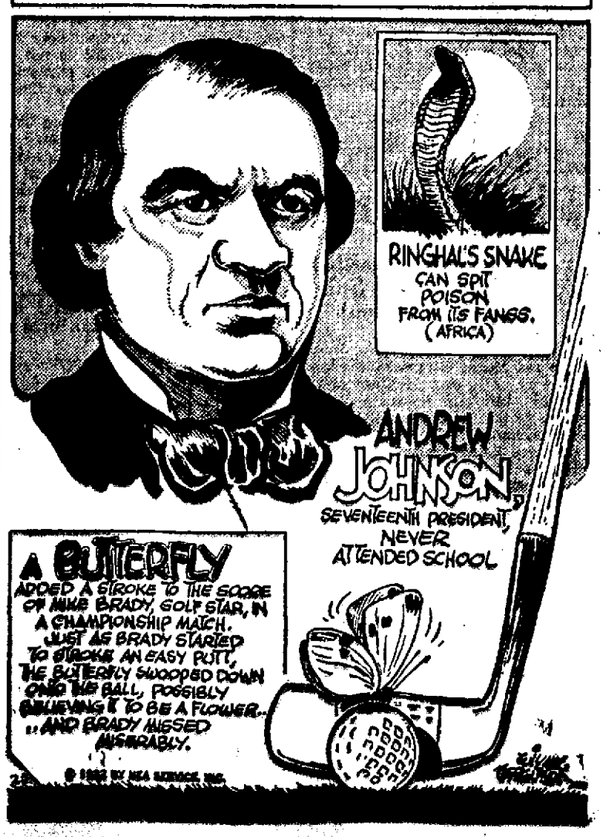
The complaint in the suit has not yet bene filed but it was revealed today when Paul E. Tuthill, attorney for Ripley, filed in the United States District Court notice of transfer from the State Supreme Court on the grounds of diversity of citizenship.

Evidently a Modernist

Waiter—"These are the best eggs we have had for years."

Diner—"Well bring me some you haven't had so long."—Royal Arcanum Bulletin.

— THIS CURIOUS WORLD —



Shelter Necessary For Farm Animals

The Cold Rains in Winter Cause Milk Flow to Be Decreased

Much has been asaid about the "year round" pasture season in Arkansas, and there is a possibility of misunderstanding the winter conditions here in consequence, states W. H. Woodley, Extension dairyman, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture.

It is true that this state does not have the zero weather, the snow, and the number of successively cold days that are found in the states farther north, and it is also true that the cows do not need the expensively built barns that are necessary in these colder states. However, when the shelter is needed by the Arkansas cow, it is needed just as much as by the cow in the far north. The cold rains of fall and winter in Arkansas are more trying t othe dairy cow than the dry cold of zero weather.

On damp or wet days of the season, shelter will pay well in saving feed or keeping up the milk flow. All of the body processes are slowed down when the body is cold, so that feed which should be used in making milk or in bringing about body growth must be used to keep the body warm, unless shelter is provided.

Arkansas may not have quite as many days when shelter is needed as some of the norther states, but on those days when it is needed, the demand is just as great as the results of shelter just as important as any northern state.

They're Off!



Away in the race of matrimony, Earle Sande, outstanding American jockey, and Mrs. Marian Adele Kummer, are pictured above as they were married at Flushing, N. Y. She was the widow of Clarence Kummer, famous jockey of Man o' War.

Good News For Hope

Williams' Laboratories have arranged to have a man in your town who will tell you about WILLIAMS FORMULAE, the New Formulae that those who have been fortunate to get a bottle are so enthusiastic about.

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January 20, 1932.

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I have just received through your state manager, Mr. J. E. Collins, your check for $2500.00 in full settlement for policy No. 602167 held by my late wife, Ruth C. Cowling.

I advised Mr. Collins of my loss on January the 14th just six days ago, your prompt adjustment of your losses should cause those seeking life insurance to place their application with the Guarantee Mutual Life Co.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your prompt and courteous settlement I am,

Yours very truly,
John P. Cowling.

Private Employment Agencies Under Fire

DALLAS—(AP)—A temporary order restraining District Attorney William McCraw and others from interfering with operations of three private employment agencies of Dallas was issued in federal court here Wednesday.

Judge W. H. Atwell issued the order on application of Mrs. Vera Karr, David L. Sachs and C. M. Boyette. They had attacked the constitutionality of the state law regulating private employment agencies. They contend the law, which gives the state labor commissioner the right to examine the private papers of such agencies restricts fees to 20 per cent of the first month's salary and otherwise regulates, is unconstitutional.

McCraw argued that the grave emergency in the employment situation gave the state the right to set the fees to be charged and otherwise enforce the law. He said the plantiffs admited having charged fees of more than 50 per cent of the first months salary.

Texan Is Near Death After Highway Mishap

SAN BENITO, Tex.—(AP)—Highway police were searching Wednesday for an automobile driver they believed struck and probably fatally injured R. H. Marsden, 43, of Brownsville, while he was walking along a highway near here Tuesday night.

An officer saw Marsden walking along the road a short time before he was injured. Returning later, the officer found hi mlying unconscious beside the road. Marsdon was taken to a Harlingen hospital for treatment of grave head injuries.

Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic primary election August 9, 1932:

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For Sheriff



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SOCIETY NEWS

Mrs. Sid Henry — **Telephone 321**

One ship drives east and another drives west,
While the self-same breezes blow;
It's the set of the sails and not the gales,
That bids them where to go.
Like the winds of the seas are the ways of the fates,
As we voyage along through life;
It's the set of the soul that guides the goal,
And not the storms or the strife.
—E. W. W.

Mrs. Otis Parks of Fulton spent Wednesday visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Cornelius.

Miss Jean Laseter is spending this week in Forrest City, in the interest of the State Baptist Sunday school work.

The many friends of Mrs. Robert Vesey will be interested in the following item from "The Sunday Ledger Enquirer" of Columbus, Ga. Mrs. R. H. Vesey of Fort Benning one of the most expert players in this state, will give a bridge lecture Tuesday afternoon at the Cricket Tea Room, to which all bridge enthusiasts are cordially invited. Mrs. Vesey plays a beautiful game of bridge and is an excellent teacher, and her talk should be of great assistance to any one interested in the game. Mrs. Vesey was the runner up in the Enquirer-Sun tournament. At the conclusion of the talk, tea will be served." Mrs. Vesey will be remembered as Miss Bridewell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Bridewell, who with her husband Lieutenant Robert H. Vesey and two little daughters, spent some time visiting with home folks in this city during the past summer.

The Study Group of the Senor-Junior high school held a most interesting meeting Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of Mrs. John P. Owens on West Third street, with Miss Whitten as teacher. Thursday afternoon the meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Washington Berry on South Main street at 3:30 on Friday afternoon at the same hour the meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Don Smith on South Elm street.

The Friday Music Club will hold their regular bi-weekly meeting on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. C. McNeill on North Hervey street. The Choral Club will meet promptly at 2 o'clock, with Mrs. R. A. Boyett directing. Mrs. S. L. Padgett will lead in the piano and song recital beginning at 3 o'clock.

Lieut. Col. Chas. Garrett and General Compere of Little Rock were business visitors in the city on Wednesday.

Miss Maggie Bell has returned from a few day's visit with friends and relatives in Texarkana.

Mrs. E. M. McWilliams was hostess to the members of the Wednesday Contract Bridge Club on Wednesday afternoon at her home on East Third street. Beautiful spring flowers were used for the decorations and bridge was played from two tables. The club had the pleasure of renewing the membership of Mrs. B. B. Brown, an old member, who has recently returned from an extended stay in aBton Rouge, La. High score was made by Mrs. Finley Ward.

Miss Vena Moses was the honoree at a most delightful birthday dinner on Monday evening at her home on ast Third street, with Mrs. A. A. Brown and Mrs. Tom Wardlow as hostesses. The dining table was lovely in its decorations and appointments and covers were laid for twelve, with the honoree's place being designated by a number of beautiful gifts. The evening was spent in games and pleasant conversation.

Mrs. Harfry Shiver entertained at two tables of bridge on Wednesday afternoon at her home on West Sixth street. A quantity of beautiful spring flowers including jonquils, narcissus and japonicas added beauty and fragrance to the rooms. In the score count Mrs. W. W. Compton won the favor. Following the game, a most tempting salad plate was served.

Just Like Dad



Katherine Coxey, above, granddaughter of General Jocob Coxey of "Coxey's Army" fame, hopes to march into the Ohio state capitol at Columbus as state representative. Miss Coxey, whose home is in Massillon, where her father is now mayor, has started circulating petitions for her candidacy.

New Hope

The Austin Bible class of Hope will be at this church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Everyone is invited to come and hear them.

Lester Watkins attended the tournament at Hope Saturday. He reported some very good games.

Mr. and Mrs. Reece Arrington spent part of last week with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Watkins of Oakland.

Rufus Polk, accompanied by her son Conley and daughter, Relda Mae, who live near Washington, visited relatives of this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Arrington spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker of this place.

Sam Dyer spent Sunday night with his daughter, Mrs. Edward Moody of Hope.

We did not have church Sunday night on account of bad roads, instead, we heard a fine sermon Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miss Wilma Ruth Roberts of this community spent Friday night with Miss Myra Lee Boyett of Washington.

Birth of a Beautiful Friendship

"I'll be frank with you," said the young man when the embrace was over. "You're not the first girl I ever kissed."

"I'll be equally frank with you," she answered. "You've got a lot to learn."—Lehigh Burr.

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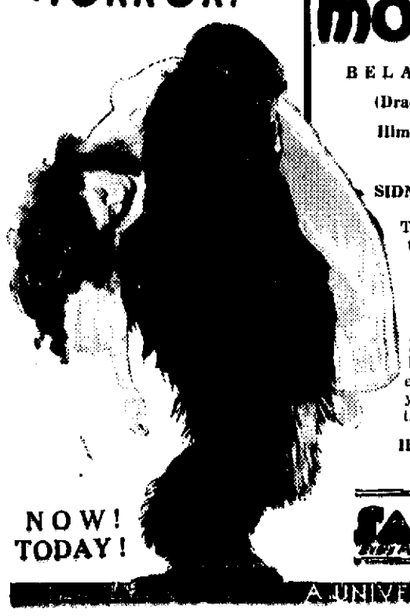
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A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

Landing Troops in Hawaii During Navy War Games



Here's how the Blue attacking fleet of the U. S. Navy delivered a decisive blow to the Black defenders of Hawaii during the recent fleet maneuvers in the Pacific. The offensive forces theoretically broke through the Black lines to reach Oahu Island, and above you see small power craft during the landing of a hypothetical army of soldiers.

Glorious Days for Gloria



The paths of Gloria lead but to Switzerland. Or something like that. Anyhow, glorious Gloria Swanson is honeymoony over her new husband, Michael Farmer, and here you see them happily snow-bound at St. Moritz. No "X" marks the spots on Miss Sanson's leopard fur.

Corinth

Grandpa Ellis May is very sick with flu. Mrs. Stevenson is also very sick with flu.

Mrs. Lillie Easterling spent a while Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Stevens. Mr. and Mrs. Ambros Easterling spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Miller spent the week end with her father and mother Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin.

Miss Sallie Easterling spent Sunday with Mrs. Cledis Easterling.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl May were visiting his grandfather Ellie May.

Mrs. Retha Easterling spent Saturday afternoon with her mother Mrs. Jessie Pierce spent a while Sunday afternoon with Slayton Easterling.

Mr. Ira McKamie made a business trip to Hope Saturday.

Bi-Centennial Play Presented at Stamps

STAMPS—Directed by Mrs. Faye Petrie Parker the following cast appeared in a Washington Bi-Centennial play entitled, "Lure of the Sea," presented before the Rotary Club and in the high school chapel. The cast is as follows:

Joe D. Talbot, George Washington; Ione Nutt, Martha Washington; Marie Galloway, Betty Washington; William Boney, John Washington; Boyett Powell, Charles Washington; Paul Thompson, Samuel Washington; Morris Wells, Richard Henry Lee; Lucius Blake, Captain Lawrence Washington; Joe Graham, a sailor; Finis Stevens, "Peter" a negro servant.

"I wonder how Thanksgiving originated?"

"It was probably instituted by parents whose sons had survived the football season."—Boston Transcript.

Ban on Billboard Tobacco Ads Upheld

WASHINGTON-(AP)—Utah's right to keep advertisements of cigarettes, cigars—all tobacco in fact—off its billboards was upheld Tuesday by the Supreme Court. All the justices agreed.

Justice Brandeis dwelt upon the fact that such sales methods are thrust upon the public.

The Utah statute also prohibited tobacco advertising in street cars and by placards elsewhere and Justice Brandeis said they too were placed where one saw them whether he wished to or not.

He said there as little foundation in the claim that Utah had discriminated against billboard advertising in favor of the newspapers, magazines and the radio.

"In the case of newspapers and magazines," he said, "there must be some seeking by one who is to see and read the advertisement. The radio can be turned off but not so the billboard or street car placard."

"These distinctions," he added, "clearly place this kind of advertisement (billboard) in a position to be classified so that regulations or prohibitions may be imposed upon all within the class. This is impossible with respect to newspapers and magizines. The legislature may recognize degrees of evil and adapt its legislation accordingly."

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Song, "Father of the Land We Love"—accompanied by Mrs. Ralph Routon.

The Meaning of the Washington Bicentenial—Margie Moses.

Poem, 'Tis Splendid to Live so Grandly"—Slyta Verne Agee.

Important Facts in the Life of George Washington—Margaret Simms, Vadie Payne.

Play, "Making the First American Flag—5B English class.

Poem, "Ballad of Betsy Ross"—Muriel June Webb.

After this program a cherry tree and two walnut trees, donated by George Ware, were planted on the campus.

Garner-For-President Move Starts on Coast

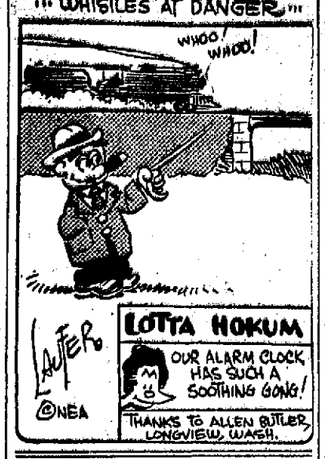
SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The garner-for-President club announced here Wednesday a ticket of delegates pledged to John N. Garner for president would be submitted to the voters at the presidential primary May 3.

Indications are three sets of delegates will go before the democratic voters May 3. These would be pltdged to Al Smith, Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt of New York and Garner.

New York's City of the Unemployed"



New Yorkers call it "The Jungle." In the shadow of wintry blasts—and a haven until the luckier of the "colopodge has sprung up as a colony for unemployed, other towering skyscrapers, this strange architectural hodgethem containing makeshift stoves, afford shelter against wise homeless men. These tumble-down shacks, most of nist.." find jobs.



Woman Accused as Kidnaper of Waif

Police Charged Widow Claimed Baby to Get Share of Estate

CLEVELAND.—(AP)—A blue-eyed baby was awaited here Wednesday night as detectives tried to break through the hysterical story of a young widow that the waif, abandoned in the Union Terminal building here, was her own.

Trying to substantiate their theory that Mrs. Christina Smith of Buffalo, N. Y., had claimed the foundling as a wedge to share in the $30,000 estate of her mother-in-law, police obtained a confession from her that the child was not hers.

Wednesday the fidgeting woman insisted to reporters that the baby, known as "Terry Tower" and the best dressed foundling ever abandoned here, was her own and that she "wanted her baby."

Mrs. Smith was held on a technical charge of kidnaping.

The $30,000 estate was left by T. Guilford Smith of Buffalo to his widow, the income to be divided between his two sons and upon the death of either son to pass on to the son's children.

One son, Dr. Chauncey Smith, husband of the woman held, died last August 5. He had married Christina Niederiter, Cleveland, 30 years his junior, in 1928 after serving a federal prison term on a narcotic charge.

Mrs. Wingo Not to Seek Re-Election

Will Retire as Congressman of Fourth District at End of Term

WASHINGTON — Mrs. Effiegene Wingo, representative of the Fourth Congressional District of Arkansas, announced Wednesday that she will not seek re-election. "Devoted friends and constituents are urging me to seek relection to Congress," she said, "but I am not a candidate. For 20 years and more the name Wingo has been honored by the good people of the Fourth Congressional District of Arkansas. We have appreciated the honor and the privilege of serving this splendid constituency.

"I am deeply appreciative of the honor that has been conferred upon me, of the confidence and support that has been given me, and of the privilege of carrying on the work."

Mrs. Wingo was nominated by both the Democratic State Central Committee to succeed her husband, Otis T. Wingo, who died October 21, 1930, two weeks before his re-election to Congress for his tenth consecutive term. Mr. Wingo served his district for 18 years, having had only one opponent. During his entire service in Congress, he was a member of the Committee on Banking and Currtncy, and at his death he was the only member of the committee who had helped to write the federal reserve act, and if e had lived, would have been chairman of the committee.

Mrs. Wingo succeeded her husband at the time her state was suffering from the greatest drouth disaster in the history of the country. She conmeasures for her people.
centrated all her efforts on relief

In the 71st Congress, Mrs. Wingo was assigned to two committees, the Committee on Accounts and the Committee on Insular Affairs. When the House of Representatives was organized by the Democrats in the 72d Congress, Mrs. Wingo was assigned to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Sez Hugh:



Home Room Group In Good Program

Observance of Washington Centennial Is Subject of Presenation

On the morning of February 22nd, the 8-A home room of the Junior-Senior high school, were entertained by the 8-A group on a program observing the George Washington Bicentennial. The interesting program was as follows:

Play on "George Washington"—Given by Albert Jewell, Geraldine Van Sickle, David Davis and Lorene Greene.

Washington's Birthday — Charlean Hollis.

Washington's Early Life—Catherine Lane.

Washington as President—Charlean Irvin.

Facts About Washington—Jimmy Myers.

Amazing Story of Washington—Harry Segnar.

Washington as a Surveyor—McRae Lemley.

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BACON ELECTRIC COMPANY

Dairy Market Meeting Is Held at De...

DE QUEEN—Twenty men [illegible] the dairy market meeting held [illegible] Efforts are bing made to [illegible] cream production of 20 [illegible] a cream station may be [illegible]ly.

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January 1, 1932
Guarantee Mutual Life Co.
Omaha, Nebraska.
Gentlemen:
I wish to acknowledge and thank you for your prompt settlement of policy No. 303588 for $3,000 held by my husband Finch O. Bryant. I also wish to thank you for the prompt payments of the monthly income received during the last fourteen months, which was occasioned by my husband's disability.
Yours truly,
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MEN'S WORK SHOES, $3.50 values, pair	$1.89
MEN'S WORK PANTS, Pair	89c
MEN'S SUITS, All kinds, choice	$4.95
MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS, $1.50 values, fast colors	49c
LADIES DRESSES, Fast colors, 79c and as low as	39c
LADIES SILK HOSE, Full fashioned, pair	49c
LADIES SPRING HATS, $1.95 values, special	49c
—GROCERIES—	
K. C. BAKING POWDER, 25 oz. can	17c
CONDENSED MILK Per can	3c
SPICES All kinds, each	4c
WHOLE RICE .. Pound	4c

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New Spring Designs in
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You'll easily find the very coat or suit you need for Spring. And you'll fall for these smart styles.

"Its Smart to Be Thrifty at the Specialty Shop"

Dime-a-Dance Girl

By JOAN CLAYTON

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NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

CHAPTER XX

DAYS passed. Difficult days for [illegible] Ellen. Days when her efforts [illegible] insurance payments, milk [illegible] and butcher bills seemed [illegible] worth the effort. Days [illegible] needed sleep and rest [illegible] pleasure and felt that the burden [illegible] double job, so vitally [illegible] for the present, was too [illegible] to bear.

She had not broken with Steven. She could not. She saw him in the store and occasionally outside [illegible] at luncheon. He did not speak again of marriage, but in a thousand ways he unconsciously revealed to her what was in his heart.

There were times those hurried, hurried days when she forgot her problems, delicious, thrilling times made of the stuff of dreams. Those were the hours she spent with Larry. In vain Molly had protested, had wept, had become angry. Ellen persisted in her determination to see him when [illegible]. One Monday evening the quarrel between her and Molly had come to an ugly climax. Larry had arrived at the apartment, unannounced, and Molly had asked him to leave. Afterward there had been a spirited scene between mother and daughter resulting in a victory of sorts for Ellen. At any rate Molly had stopped her visible campaign against Larry. What was in her mind the girl did not know.

One Tuesday morning Ellen went to the basement lockers at [illegible] to hang up her hat and [illegible] absorbed in her usual morning weariness, she was slow to notice the group of saleswomen clustered about the mirror heading the row of lockers. As she removed her hat she heard her name spoken. Ellen stared at the whispering group and saw that Mrs. Bondy was in the center.

The girl's face blanched. Her throat felt dry and her hands began to shake. She started slowly toward the group, recognized Jenny Elkins, and saw that Jenny was watching her progress with a fascinated fear. None of the others perceived the white-faced, angry girl until she was upon them.

"Perhaps you'll let me share the story," Ellen said softly. "It seems only fair since you're discussing me."

Consternation smote the group. No one moved or spoke. Jenny's compact clattered from her hand. She dared not stoop. The others were embarrassed; ashamed, frightened. Mrs. Bondy saw her power slipping. She made an effort to regain it.

"Suppose you tell us, dearie," she remarked. "We'd all love to know what it's like being an old man's darling."

For a moment the issue hung in the balance. Then one girl laughed in nervous hysteria. The others caught her up. A wave of high, cruel laughter beat at Ellen's ears and drove the blazing color from her face. She saw that her cause was lost. An almost overpowering impulse to announce that she was engaged to Steven swept over her.

It would be a way to stop that laughter and wipe the complacent smile from Mrs. Bondy's face.

Ellen hesitated, made her decision and gave the giggling group a proud, scornful glance as she moved off without another word. Her thoughts were spinning round and round. Her heart seethed with rage and humiliation.

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SHE took the elevator to Steven's office. She waited until the thumping of her heart subsided before she knocked. Steven himself opened the door. His look of surprise faded into delighted welcome. Then he saw that she was unstrung and wretched and he came close to her, drawing her inside.

"What is it?" he asked, concerned and peremptory.

Ellen began to tremble. Exhausted from the force of anger and humiliation, close to tears as she heard the anxiety in his voice, she felt a subtle, almost overpowering weakness. Unconsciously she tightened her grip on his hands and as she leaned forward her troubled face came close to his.

The gesture had its immediate effect. Barclay's heart beat high with sudden, illogical hope. Quite simply he drew her into his arms.

At once Ellen was herself again. "No, no," she whispered.

Hope left his face and pain came there. His arms dropped. He moved backward and a step away from her.

"What is it?" he repeated unsteadily.

For a moment Ellen did not respond. She knew what she had done and fumbled wretchedly for a way to mend the pain she had inflicted. But there was no way and the very silence served to heighten her memory and his memory of that lost instant.

"Please don't think I'm always coming to you with trouble," she said at last abruptly.

"You know, I'd never think that," he interrupted gently. "Sit down, my dear."

She sat down. All her careful phrases failed her. She thought she would die before his look.

"Go on," he said more urgently. His brown eyes were upon her face.

"Because something — something a little unpleasant has happened," she faltered desperately, "I would like to know if I may be transferred from cretonnes to another department."

"I've been thinking of that myself," he said at once, thrusting far into the background his own thoughts, his own hopes. Ellen saw with relief that he was business-like once more, composed and competent.

"You're lost there," he went on. "I've been thinking of another job for you."

"What sort of a job?"

"I had already prepared a memorandum for you. You're so prickly with pride that I want you to know I haven't created the job on the spur of the moment."

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HE drew three typed sheets of paper clipped together from a drawer and slid them across the desk. Ellen read them, wondering. The first was from Lorene Elcott, the buyer of misses' dresses. She needed an assistant buyer and asked for a suggestion. The second, from Steven to her, recited Ellen's qualifications and asked for the buyer's approval. Across the bottom of the sheet Lorene had scrawled "O. K.—let me see her." The third contained a brief request that Ellen call in Steven's office.

"These buyers are emperors and empresses in their own fields," Steven explained as Ellen looked up at him. "Miss Elcott telephoned me about 15 minutes ago asking you to come see her some time this morning."

Ellen glanced again at the slips in her hand. A faint color rose in her face. It was the dream of every salesgirl to become a buyer, a dream few realized. Buyers moved in a world apart from ordinary employees. They came and went almost at will. The girl felt an unexpected thrill at the idea of becoming included in such a select group, a thrill that was colored by the thought of leaping over the heads of her fellows and escaping the reach of their cruel tongues.

"Don't think I'm impertinent," she said, with youthful awkwardness, "but did you suggest me for this job because you thought I was qualified to be a buyer or because—you liked me?"

"I was afraid you'd ask that," he responded with a rueful, confused laugh. "I'll try to be honest. I think it was a mixture of the two. You're intelligent and you have taste and that qualifies you. As for the rest I did suggest you because I like you—although that's a pale way of putting it."

Ellen flushed furiously.

"You're to understand there are no strings to the job," he remarked suddenly, flushing in turn. "But you do understand that, don't you?"

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HE longed to tell her, he wanted her to know, that she held a place in his life apart from any other human being. He wanted her to know that it was not a prosaic, workaday job that he desired to lay in her lap but everything beautiful and lovely in the world. Jewels she should have—jewels and furs and clothes. He wanted to wrap her in the garment of his love and lay the world at her feet. But he lacked the words to say those things.

Ellen suspected dimly what it must have cost him to say so little. How easy and simple he had made her path and with what infinite graciousness he had done so! In her gratitude and relief she was near saying just then the words that he longed to hear.

"I know you wouldn't tie strings to anything you offered," she said at last tremulously, feeling for the second time a subtle, treacherous weakness running through her body. "I could never think that. I know you're the kindest man I've ever met."

The kindest man she had ever met! Steven would have preferred something else, perhaps. But she had said that. His dark eyes lighted. He leaned across the desk that separated them.

"Then you won't be afraid of me any more, Ellen?"

"No."

"You won't suspect my motives again?"

"No," she murmured.

How grateful she was just then! How much she admired and respected him! Victory was in Steven's hands. As he reached out to grasp it the telephone on the desk rang shatteringly. The moment was gone and the spell that had entrapped the girl was broken. Though he removed the receiver and did not answer Barclay saw that Ellen was relieved, saw that the telephone had robbed him of his triumph. He was too wise to attempt to recapture a mood that had passed.

"You'd better see Miss Elcott immediately," he said in a matter of fact way.

"I'll do that. And thank you again."

As the girl slipped out of the office she—wondered.

(To Be Continued)

Garnering the Food



One bill that Congress should approve is the bill of fare that Mrs. John N. Garner, wife of the Speaker of the House, prepares for her husband. Here you see her cooking a "representative" meal—chile con carne—at their office in the Capitol. Maybe it's a recipe for success. Anyhow, the political pot was boiling, too, when this picture was taken, and the fromal announcement of Garner's candidacy for the presidential nomination had just given the nation food for thought.

Tokio News Events

The Washington program put on by the Bingen school Monday night was a big success.

Charlie Hipp of Bingen was a business visitor to Tokio Monday.

Ed Nance was a visitor to Nashville Saturday.

G. O. Wisdom was a business visitor to Murfreesboro Wednesday.

Amos Thrasher of Roy was a business visitor to Tokio Tuesday.

Clair Nance returned home Tuesday from Plainview Texas where he has been working for some time.

Hay Chandler of Bingen was a business visitor to Tokio Wednesday.

Walter Mauney and Frashier Carter of Murfreesboro were visitors to Tokio Tuesday.

Sam Stuart was a Murfreesboro visitor Saturday.

Miss Maude Sanford visited relatives at Bingen last week.

Melvin Cooley and children of Bingen visited relatives here Sunday.

Barney Hutson visited his father Pierce Hutson at Belton Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Wisdom spent Sunday night with her sister Mrs. John Trant at Highland.

Olen Powell.

There was not any school at Union School House last week on account of the teacher, Miss Elizabeth Parks being ill.

A number of young people enjoyed a radio program at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones Friday night.

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CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends who with helping hands and loving hearts, so kindly assisted us in our bereavement at the death of our mother, Mrs. Ida Ruggles, we offer our sincere gratitude. The chosen words of Rev. Buddin, the sweet voices of the quartet, and the many beautiful flowers expressed your sympathies which we deep appreciate.

Her Children.

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Ashdown, Ark.
January 26, 1932

Guarantee MutualsLife Co.,
Omaha, Nebraska.
Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge full and complete settlement in connection with policy No. 723545 for $5000.00 held by my late husband, Orus Leslie.

Although the insurance was made to his estate which required the execution and approval of administration papers, your check was issued exactly ten days from the death which occurred January 12th.

I appreciate your courtesy and promptness in making settlement.

Very truly yours,

Gussie J. Leslie.

and Milton Otwell were Sunday callers at the Cliff Rogers home.

Harold Sanford was a Sunday night visitor at Andrew Camps at Hinton.

Mrs. Emma Eblin and children were Saturday night visitors at the George McMillen home.

Mrs. Adell Sanford and two little boys, Harold and Chancellor were Sunday night visitors at H. B. Sanfords. Howard started to school again Monday after a month's absence on account of sickness.

Jas. Johdon Sr., of near Patmos was a Sunday caller at Harold Sanfords.

Milton Otwell and Onis Mitchell were Friday evening visitors at school.

Bessie McMillar spent Sunday night at Joe Dorthys.

Joe Dorethy and family spent Sunday at Geo. McMillians.

Mrs. Dee O Gray was quite sick the past week, but is much improved now.

Henry Bearden, wife and little son, Glendon, were Wednesday visitors at Grandpa Sanfords.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennet Mitchell spent Saturday night with relatives in Nevada county.

F. P. Otwell and son Milton were in Hope Saturday.

Hartold Sanford delivered chickens to Hope patrons Friday.

Penny Otwell passes his 51st mile stone of life Tuesday the 23rd, his friends wish for him many more to come.

Weldon Ruggles of Pittsburg, Kan., and an aunt, came last week in answer to the sad message of the death of his mother, Mrs. Ida C. Ruggles, who passed away at her home here Tuesday evening February 16, after a severe illness, and an attack of paralysis. Funeral services were held at Shover Springs church Thursday at 1 p. m. conducted by Bro. Buddin of Texarkana, of the Methodist church. All of the children, Oden, Lelman and Forrest of Hope; Bryan of El Dorado; Weldon of Pittsburg, Kan.; and Lovena Semback of Pittsburgh, Penn.; were present. Interment at Shover Springs cemetery.

Belton News

The Sunday school and B. Y. P. U. are progressing fine.

Homer Harris has returned home from visiting his brother Oren of Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell Gibson left Saturday for Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Eley of McSaskill were visiting relatives at this place Saturday night.

Rev. W. E. Davis spent the night Thursday with S. F. Leslie of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gibson and son was visiting relatives of this place Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Eley and daughter spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Daniels.

Several attended the intertainment at Albert Ray's Saturday night.

Miss Leta Daniels spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Buel Daniels.

Sanders Moses was visiting his sister, Mrs. C. T. Dotson Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Hampton and son, Jessie Wayne, spent the night with Mrs. Hampton's mother and father Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Dotson, Wednesday night.

Mt. Nebo

Church and Sunday school were raned out at this place Sunday, but everybody is invited to come to Sunday school at 10 o'clock every Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Clark of Spring Hill called on Mrs. H. G. Haltom Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Williams was the guest of Walter Jones Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Berlin Simmons and children of Hinton were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burns Sunday.

Dale Landes spent Saturday night and Sunday with Emery Jones.

Clifford Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Cox of Lewisvllle was buried in Mt. Nebo cemetery Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Mrs. Lady Halto mand Mrs. Lora Haltom spent last Monday with Mrs.

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Bells Chaple

The quilting at Mrs. Alvis Irwin's was well attended and everyone had a wonderful time. Two quilts were finished during the day and a delicious luncheon was served. After finishing quilts songs were sung, led by Mrs. Cora White.

Sunday school was well attended Sunday, there were 107 present. Come on to Sunday school folks. Two of our teachers were absent, but hoping they'll be back next Sunday. We were glad to have little A. J. Cullins lead a song for us.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Honea were visiting in McCaskill Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Cullins left Thursday for Detroit, Mich., after visiting relatives here.

Rev. Horace Honea and wife visited in McCaskill over the week end.

Wednesday night prayer meeting was well attended. Having 83 present. Francis Irwin lead services.

The young people rendered a fine program Sunday night and had a large crowd to prayer meeting. We wish more young people would attend our services.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam aYtes are now making their home on J. A. Wade's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Malvern White were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melton White Wednesday night.

Horace Smith of Tusmo, Ariz., has returned to this community.

Mrs. Minnie Hendrix is now occupying her new home in this community.

Mrs. Gladys Brown was visiting her mother and father Mr. and Mrs. Jim Thomas over the week end.

Shover Springs

Church services were rained out at this place Saturday night.

Bryon Ruggles returned to his home Saturday also Welmon Ruggles and some others of Kansas, after attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Ida Ruggles, whose bodie was laid to rest in Shover Springs cemetery last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Pearl Gilbert is visiting her sister in Louisiana this week.

Mrs. Robert Byers of near Guernsey visited her son, Gilbert of this place the past week.

Albert Smith, last Monday motored tover to what is known as the Templeton place.

The road men spent most of last Monday fixing some of the most muddy holes around here.

Miss Elnora McWilliams was the dinner guest of Miss Lerita England, Sunday.

Lenard England was the dinner guest of Neal Walker, Sunday.

W. A. Walker and Grandpa England were afternoon visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Reece Sunday.

Jots Around Shover

With reverance to the great and good Washington, we greet the 200th birthday of the father of our country with all respect in memory to his name.

Onis Farrel and Orval Mitchell, Madie Huckabee and Milton Berniel and Beatrice Otwell enjoyed victorla music Friday evening with J. M. McWilliams and grandson, Roy, McWilliams at their home.

Harley Vines spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Thurman Landes on the Lewisville road near Crank school house.

Orval, Edgel and Onis Mitchell and Madie Huckabee visited during the week end with sister Mrs. Rogers in Nevada county.

P. P. Otwell, son Newton and daughters, Berniel and Beatrice spent Sunday afternoon at Darl Arnolds.

Bernie Otwell spent Wednesday night with her school girl friend, Farrell Mitchell.

Mrs. Otwell and four children spent Sunday afternoon at H. B. Sanfords.

F. H. Douthitt, Harmony school teacher was the Tuesday night guest intthe Mitchell home.

Roy Rogers delivered the mail from Shover on horseback on Route two Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Hollie Crews and daughters, Bonnie and Helen and Leo Farmer

BRUSHING UP SPORTS — By Laufer



Rudy, Bride Are Crooning "We'll Be Together Again"

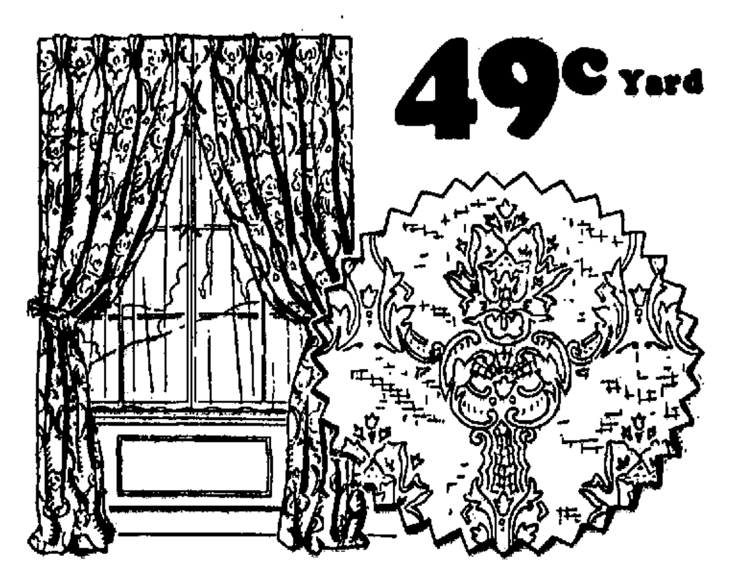


Maybe Fay Webb, Rudy Vallee's beauteous bride, crooned "Lover Come Back to Me" during those 3000-mile telephone calls. Maybe not. Anyway Rudy is returning to California soon for a vacation with Mrs. Vallee. Photo shows Fay in two informal poses at the home of her parents in Santa Monica, California. She prefers pajamas for morning wear. The roses, she says, are Rudy's daily gift, on telegraph order from New York. "I listen to him broadcast every night and then he telephones me," she explains. "I've been so lonely."

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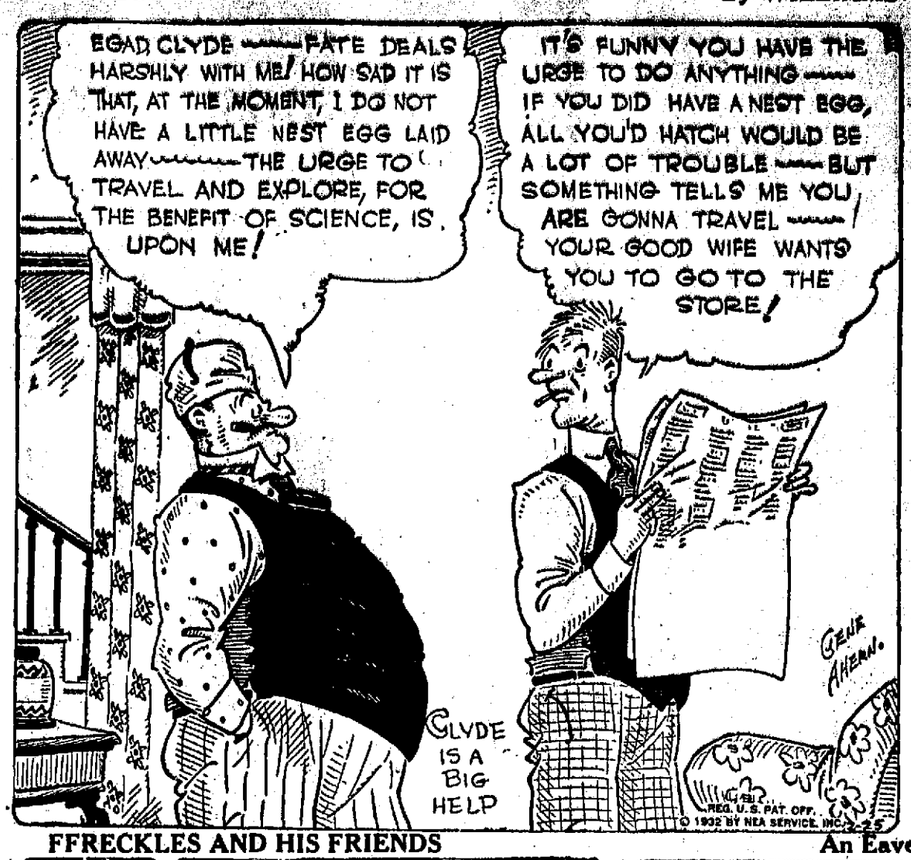
DEPARTMENT STORE

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"No, I don't believe I'd have had the baby, if I didn't live near a park."

OUR BORDING HOUSE By WILLIAMS



OUT OUR WAY By



Sweet Home Items

Rev. Arnold of Prescott filled his regular monthly appointment here Sunday and Sunday evening.

The young peoples program at 6:30 Sunday night was highly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Thompson and family of Blevins were visiting relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Honen of Blevins attended morning services here Sunday and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Loe.

Miss Florence Husky, a student of Blevins high school, who underwent an operation for appendicitis four weeks ago, is convalesing and her friends are anxious for her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Spears spent the week end with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spears.

Mrs. J. A. Copeland and mother of Delight are visiting Mrs. J. J. Delaney and family. Mrs. Copeland is a sister of Mrs. Delaney.

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GENERAL CONTRACTING — Free estimates on painting, paperhanging, all kinds of building. Phone 567J or 518W. Collins & Harrington. (13-30tc

A LITTLE PEPSO-GINGER WILL end your indigestion or your druggist will refund your money. 5-30t

WANTED—Issues of February 11th Truckland Courier. We will pay 10 cents per copy. Hope Star.

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BABY CHICKS—From accredited flocks, now on display at Monts Seed Store. 25-2tc

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1. "Murders in the Rue Morgue" will play at the Saenger THURSDAY and FRIDAY.

WANTED—Settled strong white woman to do house work. Must be good cook with good health. Telephone 229-J. 22-3tp

BABY CHICKS—From accredited flocks, now on display at Monts Seed Store. 25-2tc

Short, But They're Long on Style



No matter how long skirts may become, shorts are still short. Miss Kay Wickham of Philadelphia wears them on the courts at Miami Beach, Fla.

Mrs. Ed Loe and Mrs. Allen Moore were shopping in Prescott Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Freyburger passed through this burg en route to Prescott, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Harris and children were visiting Mrs. Harris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McDougald Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Yarberry were pleasant callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Yarberry Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McCain were trading in Prescott, Saturday.

Harold Huskey spent Saturday night with his brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Huskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Brad Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Watson Ward spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hendrix called on Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Huskey Friday afternoon. Little Margerie Huskey returned home with them to spend the night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Yarberry spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Yarberry's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Sewell

Mrs. Clarence Tidwell and little son Bennie have returned to their home near Prescott after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Morris.

J. R. Huskey was a business visitor in Prescott Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson Yancey of Prescott motored out Sunday afternoon and visited Mrs. Yancey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Spears.

Mr. and Mrs. John House were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Campbell.

Mrs. Mount Montgomery spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. J. J. Delaney.

Mrs. Bert Carmin and daughter Anna Mae visited with Mrs. Sylvester Carmin Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Robt. Peacley of Prescott visited her mobther, Mrs. J. A. Huskey Friday afternoon.

Ask Mom, She Knows

There are three kinds of mules, the old gray, the write, and the kind your wife married.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

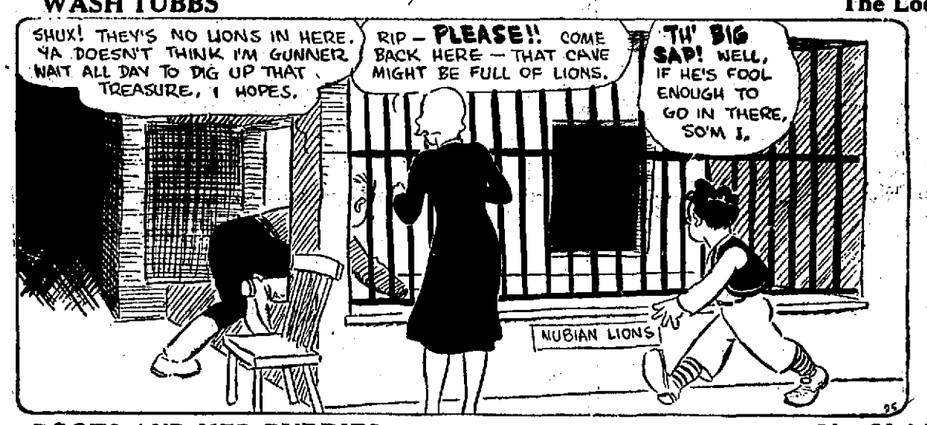
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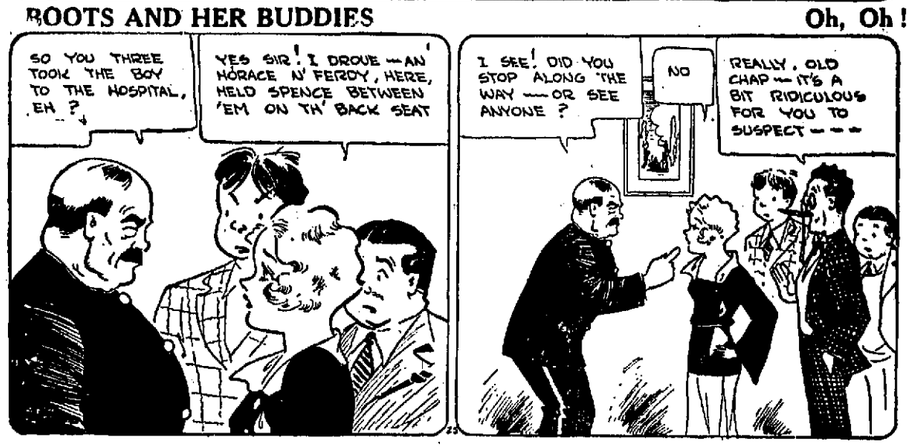
An Eavesdropper! By BLOSSER



WASH TUBBS The Loose Stone! By CRANE



ROOTS AND HER BUDDIES Oh, Oh!! By MARTIN



SALESMAN SAM The Judge Remembers! By SMALL

THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop) Shopping! By COWAN



...spection on ...d Potato Sale

...rs Warned to Exercise Care in Buying Seed This Spring

...ints are being received by ... Board regarding misrepresentation in sale of seed Irish potatoes. ... says that in some cases the ... are taking common table ... writing Cobbler or Triumph ... and selling these as good ... potatoes, and that these are often ... affected with scab and worse ... and mixed as to variety.

"Others are selling seed potatoes as ... on the strength of a tag ... about as follows: "Potatoes ... herein are certified by the ... to be non-irritated, visually ... from scab and all other infectious diseases and true to name." It will be noted that these potatoes are "certified" by the shipper, and not by any official, and that no stronger claim is made than that they are "visually" free from disease.

"While seed of this latter kind may be superior to the mislabeled table stock, and while it may be smooth seed of good type, it may be seriously affected by those virus diseases which can only be detected by an inspection of the growing crop in the field, prior to digging, which diseases under southern conditions are the worst of all diseases and will show up in decreased yields at harvest.

"Certified certified potatoes have been inspected at least twice in the field and once in the bin. Certified seed are also required to be true to name, but it is the disease-free feature which sets them apart from other seed and makes them worth the extra money.

"Growers should not accept the unsupported statement of the realer, but should look for the tag on each sack. This tag should bear the name of the certifying organization, which is generally the state department of agriculture, the college of agriculture, or some other branch of the state government. If the tag bears the name of the grower or shipper only, the certification is not official.

"There are no certified Irish potatoes grown in Arkansas. Practcally all of them come from nothern states.

"Paul H. Miller, chief inspector, State Plant Board.

Lady of the Long Bow

"Does your wife ever overdraw her bank account?"

"No, but I think she overdraws her account of her bank account to impress the neighbors."—Boston Transcript.

Pirate's Ghost in the Moated Grange

"StrangeFoods Novelists Eat" is the title of a magazine article. But think of some of the strange things they ask their readers to swallow.—Boston Transcript.

See Ark?s:



SOME FOLKS CALL THEM INCOME TAX BLANKETY-BLANKS!

Pearce Brothers On Convict Farm

Charles Pleads Guilty to Murder; Don Waives Right to Appeal

LITTLE ROCK—Don and Charles L. Pearce Wednesday were sentenced to serve life sentences in the penitentiary for the murder of James E. Chapple, cashier of the Arkansas Gazette during the pay roll holdup January 9.

Charles, who was employed by the Gazette as a linotype operator for 12 years, Wednesday appeared in First Division Circuit Court and pleaded guilty to having participated in the holdup which resulted n Mr. Chapple's death.

Judge McGehee ordered a jury empaneled to hear the brief statement of facts about the crime and explained that by agreement a verdict of life imprisonment should be returned.

Don Pearce then appeared before Judge McGehee and expressed willingness to waive the statutory time for filing a motion for a new trial. He also was sentenced to life imprisonment, the punishment fixed last Saturday by the jury which heard the testimony against him.

Neither brother was willing to make a statement. Before the legal procedure was started in the courtroom, they were taken before Judge McGehee in chambers and the action outlined.

Charles Pearce said that he wanted to enter his plea of guilty with the understanding that he would be given life, and Don Pearce said he did not desire to appeal from his conviction. After this agreement, Prosecuting Attorney Carl E. Bailey allowed the plea of guilty instead of asking a trial for Charles.

Within 15 minutes after the brothers appeared in the courtroom, they had been sentenced and were on their way to the penitentiary walls. At 4 p. m. they had been put through the routine of haircuts, photography and fingerprints, and at 5 p. m. were on their way to the state farm at Tucker and will fall in for cotting picking Thursday morning.

"Mahatma" Meyers



Maybe Victor Meyers, jazz orchestra leader, has renounced burlesque tactics in his mayoralty campaign in Seattle and turned ascetic. And then again, maybe he hasnt. For "Mahatma" Meyers, accompanied by a goat, a sheet and a dictionary, was the life of the party at a Shrine luncheon the other day. And he still upheld his campaign slogan: "A jazz mayor for a jazz age."

Geo. F. Jackson to Address Kiwanis

District Lieutenant to Be Hope Guest Thursday Night at Capital Hotel

Dr. George F. Jackson, district lieutenant of Kiwanis, is the guest of honor when this civic club meets Thursday night for a George Washington Centennial party, at the New Capital Hotel. The dinner is to take the place of the regular Friday night meting this week.

Dr. Jackson arrived from Little Rock Thursday afternoon. Several members of the Hot Springs club are expected for the dinner, which will be held at 7 o'clock.

Killing Follows Famliy Quarrel

Charles Hamilton of Near Pocahontas Slain by Father-in-Law

POCAHONTAS—Charley Hamilton, aged 35, farmer who lived eight miles south of Pocahontas, was shot fatally Wednesday night by his father-in-law, Fred Coffman, 60. Hamilton died two hours later.

Family affairs are said to have led to the killing. Hamilton had refused to permit his youngest son to attend a party at a neighbor's. Hamilton's wife urged her father to intercede for the boy, and this resulted in the shooting.

Officers C. H. Brooks, Bill Russell, John Shivley and Paul Million were called to the scene and placed Coffman under arrest. He was placed in jail. A preliminary hearing will be held Thursday before Justice J. T. Simpson.



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Tuesday March 15 | Wednesday March 16 | Thursday March 17 | Friday March 18

2 to 4 P. M.

SAENGER

ONE of the red-letter events of the year for women is almost here. A cooking school it is, to be sure, but what a cooking school! This year's cooking is done in a kitchen much different from that of grandmother's day. There are hours and hours less time needed in cooking—there's less work and more fun. Today's kitchen is a real "Happy Kitchen,"—or ought to be. If your three-meals-a-day seem just a succession of toast and eggs and potatoes and roast beef and pie, our cooking school is made to order for you! And if you've already found the secret to pleasure and fascination in mixing dainty new dishes and dressing up the old stand-bys in colorful new fashions—you'll love the cooking school just as much.

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There will be romance—mapping of uncharted seas of the kitchen—at the cooking school. Each session will glow with new ideas, appetite thrillers, the simple secrets that make cooking happier and easier. We invite you to hear dozens of practical suggestions that make kitchen hours more fun and more joy—to see demonstrated before your very eyes those inspired touches that raise the meal and its preparation to the realm of a happy adventure.

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Remember—evverything shown in our cooking school has been tried and tested by a whole staff of "Happy Kitchen" experts. Months of planning have gone before. There are four afternoons of enjoyment in store for you . . . come as our guest!



The Cooking School will be under the personal supervision of Mrs. Kate B. Stafford noted "Happy Kitchen" expert

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